

What is claimed is:

1. -- A portable cellular phone comprising:

a case body including an operating section and stopper portions; and

a sliding cover covering the operating section of said case body and being slidably supported on said case body

wherein the stopper portions of said case body restricts a sliding range of said sliding cover, and

wherein said sliding cover is mounted and detached with respect to said case body by applying an outer force to said sliding cover in a direction perpendicular to a sliding direction when said sliding cover is positioned at a specific position within the sliding range.

2. A portable cellular phone comprising:

a case body including rail portions, stopper portions, and locking portions; and

a sliding cover including rail portions, stopper portions, and locking portions, the portions of said sliding cover respectively corresponding the rail portions, the stopper portions, and the locking portions of said case body,

wherein the stopper portions of said case body restricts a sliding range of said sliding cover, and the locking portions of said case body positions said sliding cover at a specific position within the sliding range restricted by the stopper portions of said case body, and

wherein said sliding cover is mounted and detached with respect to said case body by applying an outer force to said sliding cover in a direction perpendicular to a sliding direction with the rail portions of said sliding cover being elastically deformed when the rail portions of said sliding cover are overlapped on the rail portions of said case body, and the locking portions of said sliding cover are abutted against the locking portions of said case body to position said sliding cover.

3. The portable cellular phone according to Claim 2, wherein a mark is provided on said case body near the locking portion of said case body for alignment in position.

4. A portable cellular phone comprising:  
a case body including a key operating section, a voice receiving section, a voice transmitting section, and a pair of locking portions; and

a sliding cover including a U-shaped cutout and a pair of sliding cover locking portions for covering the key operating section of said case body,

wherein the locking portions of said case body are arranged on laterally opposite sides of a sliding direction of said sliding cover for keeping said sliding cover opened, and

wherein said sliding cover is mounted with respect to said case body by applying an outer force to said sliding cover

when one of the sliding cover locking portions of said sliding cover is engaged with one of said locking portions of said case body and the other sliding cover locking portions is aligned in position on the other locking portion of said case body.

5. The portable cellular phone according to Claim 2; wherein a mark is provided on said case body near the locking portion of said case body for alignment in position.

6. A method of mounting a sliding cover for a portable cellular phone comprising a case body including a key operating section, a voice receiving section, a voice transmitting section, and marks; and the sliding cover including a U-shaped cutout for covering the key operating section of the case body, said method comprising:

positioning one of distal ends of the cutout of the sliding cover to one of the mark of the case body;

positioning the other distal end of the cutout of the sliding cover to the other mark of the case body;

applying an outer force on the sliding cover from the above after positioning the distal ends of the cutout of the sliding cover in order to mount the sliding cover on the case body.